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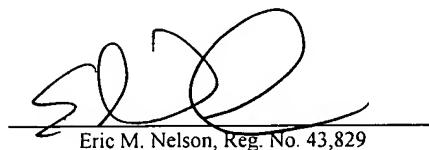
Applicant : Tsutsumi et al.  
Appl. No. : 10/506,398  
Filed : May 11, 2005  
For : SYNTHETIC RESIN CAP,  
CLOSING DEVICE, AND  
CONTAINER-FILLED  
BEVERAGE  
Examiner : Ngo, Lien M.  
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 3, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-captioned application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.